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REQUEST FOR FILING CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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	Application No. 09/759,265 Filed: <u>January 16, 2001</u>							
		PROCEDURE AND APPARATUS FOR THE OPTIMIZATION OF REACTIVE GAS MIXTURES						
	Inventor(s):	Savine BOCKEL-MACAL, Fabien ILLY and Pierre AVRILLIER						
X	The entire disclosure of the prior application from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied herewith is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.							
	This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2), the Commissioner is requested to <u>delete the name(s) of the following person or persons</u> who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application.							
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	This application is being filed by more than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(5), a new oath or declaration is enclosed, and the Commissioner is requested to add the name(s) of the following person or persons who are inventors of the invention being claimed in this application.							
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